

Alexandria Gazette and Virginia Advertiser

LOCAL MATTERS.

The Weather Probabilities, April 27, 1881.—Fair Middle Atlantic states partly cloudy weather, with occasional rain followed by clearing weather, variable winds, shifting to Westerly, and stationary or higher barometer and temperature.

The CATHOLIC FAIR.—The fair for the benefit of St. Mary's Church, which has been in progress at Stratford Hall since Monday night, was over, will close to-night with a dinner. Mr. M. B. Harlow was the handsomest China tea set on the table of Mrs. John S. Green, last night, and the articles on the grocery table were disposed of. Mr. Graham, of Fairfax County, and Mr. T. Russell, of this city, each drew a barrel of flour. Mr. John F. Fadden drew a barrel of wheat. The polls for the cause remained open until 9 o'clock. The following is the result of the voting for the articles named:

In the Pews—James E. Waddington, John Johnson, Jr., George A. Apperson, H. L. Douglass, J. T. Beckham, Dr. Lewis Goss, McIlroy, Henry Straus, J. J. Jones, G. B. Eckert, Capt. J. V. Davis, Judge Charles E. Smith, David A. Windsor, J. S. B. Thompson, Charles Griffin, A. A. Minns, U. S. Steamer Vandalia, Isaac Eschbach, Capt. E. L. Smith, E. J. Padgett.

For the Umbrella—Richard L. Clark, 100, T. H. Pickens, 50, Wm. H. Green, 50.

For a C. B. U. Bond—P. F. Gammie, 75; John Dugdale, 75; John H. Belknap, M. B. Harlow, 44, R. McLaughlin.

Mr. M. B. Harlow, chairman of the fair committee, salutes the recent election of Gen. A. C. Gilmer, President of the Chamber of Commerce, and contributions from Messrs. Haines, Small & Robinson and Purish & Ross, of Baltimore.

The War Vessels.—The U. S. steamer *Kansan*, which has been anchored in the stream at this city since Monday week, left this morning for Lucy Point, from whence she will proceed to Hampton Roads, and thence to Philadelphia. One of the sailors attached to her, having spent the night in the city, was hit standing on the wharf. He manifested some uneasiness. Capt. Meade of the Vandalia and Atlantic gave orders to have to-morrow morning ready docked. The orders for the vessels named to have this morning were countermanded. The *Yankee*, it is understood, will go to the Washington navy yard for repair. The *Pennsylvanian* will remain here till the 1st of May. The sailors, as well as the officers of the vessel, regret to have to leave Alexandria, and hope something will turn up to detain them here.

Good TEMPLES.—Golden Light Lodge No. 117 of Good Templars of this city, at its meeting last night, voted the following officers for the quarter ending July 31, viz: N. S. Grimes, W. C. F.; Mrs. M. P. Peart, W. V. J. A. W. Armstrong, W. Secretary; C. H. Pickens, W. F. S.; Mrs. May A. Williams, W. F.; C. M. Dugdale, W. C.; J. B. Watling, W. M.; Miss Mary K. Kinney, Guard; H. M. Ford, Sentinel; Miss Anna Medley, R. H. S.; Miss Emma Atwell, L. H. S. The above office will be installed on next Tuesday night by B. W. Niles, Deputy Grand Worshipful Master.

Politics News.—John B. C. closed, who escaped from the chain gang some time ago, and went to his home and body now his wife, striking her in the head with a brick, was arrested last night and locked up. This morning he was released by Mayor Smith upon the promise to leave the city immediately.

Salem Hotel and City Timbers, colored, were released last night upon the payment of the fines for which they were held.

FISH REPORT.—Fish are now arriving at Fishtown in large numbers. Four hundred thousand fish and ten thousand shad arrived there to day and sold as follows: Shad \$7 to \$10 per hundred; herring \$2 to \$3 per hundred. Now is the time for clams people buy by the bushel, their price will probably increase as the season advances. Some of the fisherman staying the lower shores are already back of cutting out.

PERSONAL.—Dr. Wm. Donnelly, dentist, has removed his office to Washington, but his residence is still in this city.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Advertisers to-day.

Alderman Henry Straus left the city this morning for Philadelphia.

R. W. Hunter, esq., and lady, of Winchester, and C. M. Schaefer, and C. M. Lummis, of Virginia, and Rev. B. V. Estall, of Portsmouth, are registered at the Mansion House.

Marietta Bicycles were issued in Washington yesterday by Alexander P. Bryant and John T. Jackson, both of Chesham county, Va.; H. B. Carter, of Northern Neck, Va., and May E. Griswold, of Washington.

The new engine built at the machine shop of the Virginia Midland Railway Company in this city made a trial trip over the road to day. The working of the engine was satisfactory in every particular.

The wife from the steamer *Essex* caused the schooner *Allen Greene*, lying at Rock's Wharf, to break her line the other day, and badly damage the house of John T. Stone, by running into it. Mr. Stone intends to present a bill to the president of the Potomac Steamboat Co. for damages.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING!

The grand display ever witnessed in Alexandria, seems to be off in two years' time. Bring the little ones and fit them. The only Boys' CLOTHING HOUSE in the city.

Mr. J. WATERMAN,

One Penn Cluster,
No. 27 Carter King and Farrel streets

"BLACK-DRAUGHT" makes chills and fever impossible.

For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

Mr. PORTER'S BEER 60¢ per dozen at McBurney's. Bottles must be returned.

McBURNY & SON have just received from the MILL PARK VINEYARDS twenty-five cases of ROSE OF VIRGINIA and NORTON'S SEEDLING CLARET WINES. These wines are so celebrated for their fine flavor and purity that comment is unnecessary. Quaint and pim bottles.

BREAKFAST MISS MACKEREL is 5 lb. this morning and very fat at McBurney's.

STOP THE LEAKS.—Tim Roofing, Gutters and Rain Spout, and all work repaired promptly, by STANSBURY & BRO.

The BEST home manufactured Tin Ware and House-furnishing Goods can be found at STANSBURY's Central Store House, corner King and Washington streets, (McBurney's Building.)

LADIES' SUMMER UNDERSHIRTS, in all sizes.

C. M. ADAMS, 92 King st.

MEN'S RAISIN-SOAK, LINEN, JEAN and FANCY KNIT DRAWERS.

No. 4 C. M. ADAMS, 92 King st.

BOB KENT—My STORE and DWELLING

on My street, opposite the Market with or without stock. Possession given on the first of May next. Rent reasonable. Inquire on the premises.

apts—600 L. STEIN.

DWELLING FOR KENT.—The BRICK

dwelling on the southeast corner of Pitt and Wolfe streets. Possession given 1st May.

Apply to J. GREEN & WISE.

EVAIORATED APPLES just received by

McLean, J. C. MILBURN.

McLean, 20 King street.

100 lbs CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR.

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and EXTRAS COULE, and can re-

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